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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants - MA&UD Department – Allegations of misappropriation of funds and certain irregularities such as failure to enforce the societies to adhere to agreement conditions; no proper monitoring the night sanitation work and attendance and false wage claims etc., causing wrongful loss of Rs.70.94 lakhs per annum occurred to the GVMC., Visakhapatnam - Departmental action initiated against Dr. D.Abbulu, Chief Medical Officer of Health, GVMC., Visakhapatnam - Enquiry ordered – Report received – Charged Officer expired on 24.07.2018 - Further action abated - Orders - Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.680 **Dated.13 .09.2022.**

Read the following:-

1) From the Director General, G.A. (V&E) Department, Vigilance Report No.34 (C.No.49/V&E/D1/2017), Dated.06.05.2017.
2) G.O.Rt.No.1595, MA&UD (E1) Department, dated.04.11.2013.
3) Written Statement of Defence of Dr. D.Abbulu, CMOH (retired), GVMC., Visakhapatnam, dated.10.01.2014.
4) G.O.Rt.No.232, MA&UD (Vig.I) Department, dated.08.03.2018.
5) G.O.Rt.No.233, MA&UD (Vig.I) Department, dated.08.03.2018.
6) Enquiry Report from the Commissioner & Enquiry Officer, Kakinada Municipal Corporation, Roc.No.173/2018, Dated.05.11.2019.
7) Govt.Memo.No.13386/Vig.I/2013, dated.15.10.2020 & further reminders.
8) From the Commissioner, GVMC., Visakhapatnam, Letter Rc.No.015465/2013/F3/PH, dated.29.01.2022.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, it has been brought to the notice of the Government by the Director General, G.A. (V&E) Department that, the Vigilance & Enforcement Department enquired into the allegations of misappropriation of funds and certain irregularities such as failure to enforce the societies to adhere to agreement conditions; no proper monitoring the night sanitation work and attendance and false wage claims etc., causing wrongful loss of Rs.70.94 lakhs per annum occurred to the GVMC., Visakhapatnam. In the reference 1st read above, among others, it has been recommended to initiated disciplinary action against Sri Dr. D.Abbulu, the then Chief Medical Officer of Health, GVMC., Visakhapatnam.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, Government initiated disciplinary proceedings by framing articles of charges against Sri Dr. D.Abbulu, the then Chief Medical Officer of Health, GVMC., Visakhapatnam and directed him to submit their written statement of defence thereon.

3. Having not convinced with the written statement of defence of the charged officers, Government appointed Sri K.Ramesh, Regional Director-cum-Appellate Commissioner of Municipal Administration, Visakhapatnam as an Enquiry Officer to inquire into the charges framed against Sri D. Abbulu, the

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then Chief Medical Officer of Health and nine (9) other officials of GVMC., Visakhapatnam and to submit report vide reference 4th read above. In the reference 5th read above, Sri A.Hemanth, Chief Medical Officer of Health, GVMC., Visakhapatnam was appointed as Presenting Officer, to present the case before the inquiry authority on behalf of disciplinary authority.

4. In the reference 6th read above, the Inquiry Officer Sri K.Ramesh, Commissioner, Kakinada Municipal Corporation has stated that, enquiry notices were served on all the charged officers except Sri Dr. D.Abbulu, CMOH (who expired on 24.07.18 after retiring from the service on attaining the age of superannuation on 30.09.2012) and submitted his enquiry report in respect of other 9 charged officers for further necessary action.

5. Government, after careful examination of the matter, have decided to abate further action against Late (Dr.) D.Abbulu, the then Chief Medical Officer of Health, GVMC., Visakhapatnam, subject to recovery of Government dues / loss, if any by him, to the Government exchequer, in terms of Rule 9 (7) of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 Rules, 1980.

6. Accordingly, Government hereby abate further action against Late (Dr.) D.Abbulu, the then Chief Medical Officer of Health, GVMC., Visakhapatnam, subject to recovery of Government dues / loss, if any by him, to the Government exchequer, in terms of Rule 9 (7) of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980, as he expired on 24.07.2018.

7. The Commissioner, GVMC., Visakhapatnam shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

8. The receipt of G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Y.SRILAKSHMI
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Legal Heir of Late (Sri) Ch.Abbulu, the then
Chief Medical Officer of Health, GVMC., Visakhapatnam
- **through** the Commissioner, GVMC., Visakhapatnam.
The Commissioner, GVMC., Visakhapatnam.

Copy to:

The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P.,
Vaddeswaram, Guntur.
The Director General, G.A. (V&E) Department, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Secretary to A.P. Vigilance Commission, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi
(with enclosure of death certificate of Sri Dr. D.Abbulu,
CMOH., GVMC., for record).
The Principal Accountant General (A&E), A.P., Vijayawada.
SF/SC.

// FORWARDED BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER.